

The Republican.

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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Honore Parks went to Logansport Saturday.

FOR SALE: Baby carriage in good condition. Enquire at this office.

A. Flaschentrager went to South Bend Saturday to visit his daughter.

Jas. K. Houghton, of Chicago, is spending a brief vacation with his family here.

Mrs. W. R. Stuckey, of South Bend, who has been visiting here, returned home Friday.

Mrs. S. J. Burgher and children, of Donaldson, visited relatives in this city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Parks went to Bourbon Friday morning to attend the reunion of the Parks family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Lisenberger, of Ft. Wayne, who have been visiting here, went to Hibbard Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Frash, of Wakarusa, Ind., who has been visiting here and at Bourbon, returned home Friday.

W. H. Taylor, of Rochester, ex-trustee of Tippecanoe township, transacted business in Plymouth Saturday.

Mrs. E. C. Walbridge, of Nebraska City, Neb., who has been visiting Mrs. S. W. Jackson, went to Argos to visit.

Adam Vincedge has accepted employment with Hatch & Sons as a superintendent on the street improvement.

Mrs. T. A. Phillips and two daughters, Edna and Ruby, who have been visiting friends here, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Emma Alderfer, of South Bend, who has been visiting her brother Frank Liggett in this city, returned home Friday.

Z. M. Tanner has just returned from a highly successful trip through Michigan and will now rusticate a few weeks at his home.

Mr. B. B. F. Collins and Miss Clara Collins, of South Bend, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rockhill went to Macy Friday morning.

Mrs. W. H. Love returned from Mentone Wednesday evening accompanied by her invalid brother, Mr. Kessler, who will remain with her a few weeks.

Isaiah Holly, of Rochester, who has been here about three weeks, has opened a barber shop in the Hotel Ross, a convenience that traveling men have long been clamoring for.

A Pan-American exposition party left Saturday night consisting of C. P. Drummond, Jas. A. Gilmore, Jr., and John C. Capron, with their families.

Mr. Wm. Coast, who has been visiting Maud and Cleveland Kingsbury, left Friday evening for Buffalo and the Beta Fraternity Annual Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lamson and children went to Bourbon Friday to attend the funeral of B. L. Hamler, who died at Canyon City, Col. last Saturday.

Quincy Kelley, who has been visiting here, returned to Chicago Friday afternoon. His sister, Mrs. Jacob Renschler, and daughter accompanied him home.

Dr. C. W. Burket, of Warsaw, is walking on crutches. In chasing a loose horse he made a sudden turn and in so doing tore a muscle in his leg, sustaining a severe and painful injury.

Mr. and Mrs. James Heminger, of West township, have taken their daughter, Ella, to the Epworth hospital at South Bend for the treatment of her eyes, but fears she will lose the left one.

John McCaffery, an aged inmate of the county infirmary, has been in a low state of health for some time and Wednesday night he was taken to the home of his son James in South Bend, who came for him.

Peter Knoll, a brother of Plymouth's street commissioner, had one of his hands badly hurt by a fall falling on it while working on a bridge at Valparaiso Friday. One finger on his left hand was crushed.

Sol. B. Yoder, wife and son, of Bourbon, Mrs. Wolfe, and sister of Mrs. Yoder of South Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Centszburger, of Lakeville, were entertained for dinner Friday at the Ross House, by Dr. Knott.

The Huntington Herald quotes an officer of the Fort Wayne & Southwestern Traction company as saying that the line will be built to Wabash before cold weather, and that in the spring work will begin on the extension to Warren.

Construction men at work near Donelson hill on the Pittsburg, have been almost stifled during the long youth by the clouds of dust which rose from the grading work and got into ears, eyes, noses and other places where dust was never intended to go. To alleviate the annoyance as much as possible a tender has been rigged up a sprinkler and sent out as an adjunct to the work train.

Solomon Meyer went to Muncie to visit his sister, Mrs. Maurice Lauer.

Miss Hattie Kelley, of Chicago, is spending a few days in this city with friends.

Miss Ada Buck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Buck, of Peoria, Ill., was the guest Friday of the Toan family.

Lot Losey returned Wednesday evening from Chicago, where he has spent two months in advanced work in optics and in perfecting himself in engraving.

Upon the protest of Michigan City people the Michigan Central railroad has issued orders restricting the blowing of locomotive whistles within the city limits.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Greenwalt returned Wednesday from an extended tour in the northwest states. They are pleased with the country and improved in health.

Nelson G. Hershberger, who resides west of this city, met with a painful and serious accident while working on the railroad grade near the summit switch Thursday afternoon. He was holding a plow when it caught on an obstruction and the handle struck Mr. Hershberger with great force between the legs and maimed him for life. His injuries were dressed by Drs. Knott and Borton.

STOLE EX-COUNCILMAN'S WATCH

C. B. Tibbets the Victim of a Midnight Thief Who Escapes.

At about one o'clock Friday morning a man was discovered in the residence of C. B. Tibbets in the act of rifling the vest of the man of the house.

Mrs. Tibbets was aroused just in time to see the burglar disappear into the room adjoining her sleeping room and Mr. Tibbets got a mere glimpse of him, but not sufficient to give an opportunity for a shot at him.

The night prowler made his escape through the same window that gave him entrance and fled barefooted into the darkness, carrying a valuable gold watch, the property of Mr. Tibbets.

There was a pair of trousers lying partly under a couch in the room, kicked there carelessly by Mr. Tibbets on retiring, and in the pocket thereof was a goodly roll of bills, received after banking hours the evening before. This was not touched and nothing was missed but the watch and chain.

The sheriff and marshal were notified and upon their telegraphic request a blood hound was brought over from Etna Green on the morning train. The keen scented animal took a preliminary smell of the Tibbets premises and then made off in a straight line to the north, bringing up at Jim Thayer's house and refusing to go farther. The officers could not believe it of Jim and urged the dog to seek further, but the pursuit lagged in interest from that point and ceased altogether at the Fair ground. The burglar has apparently made a clean escape leaving no tangible clue as to his whereabouts or identity.

A gang of thirteen tramps were seen early that morning at the flowing well back of J. A. Molter's place, and later three of them were found and searched but without results. In the afternoon others of the same gang were observed and they were likewise unsuccessfully examined.

Hymen's Busy Day.

Three happy couples took out marriage licenses Saturday and two were joined in matrimony at the clerk's office, Squire Weber officiating. The first blushing pair to appear were John J. Davis and Daisy M. Vorels, both of Union township, and they were followed closely by Ira S. Faulkner and Isa J. Finney, from the same township. The couple that Judge Weber missed was from Walnut township, Albert R. Fletcher and Lillie O. Towns. We join the friends of all these good people in the hope that they may live long, happy and useful lives, disturbed by no regret for the vows they have taken.

Railroads Suffer by Fire.

On account of the long continued drouth and the consequent state of drying of the grass everywhere, considerable damage is being done in this and adjoining counties by fires. In spite of the constant surveillance of section men, who have time for little else, damaging fires are constantly springing up to the loss of crops and fences.

The L. E. & W. is experiencing more difficulty of this kind than either of the other roads and fires are now burning in the marshes north and south of here. Several suits for damages will result.

A Big Oats Threshing.

The largest bulk of grain ever threshed in Marshall county in seven hours was threshed on C. W. Snook's farm, near Bourbon, by Charles Elsenor on Wednesday, Aug. 7. There were 2,038 bushels of oats run through the machine in seven hours, at the rate of five bushels per minute, requiring two men to tie the sacks. This was a great yield for this year. South Bend Times.

LAST CONTRACT

Council Disposes of Laporte Street and Asks Treasurer to Collect Some More Taxes Quick.

The common council met Thursday evening in recess for the special purpose of receiving bids for the additional paving on Laporte street made necessary by the increase in width of the proposed improvement. But one bid was presented, that of Hatch & Sons at the same price as the rest of the street, and the contract was awarded accordingly. The price is \$1.40 per square yard.

Some discussion was had concerning the collection of delinquent city taxes the municipal treasury being now subject to heavy drafts, and it was decided to urge upon the custodian of the funds the desirability of gathering them in closely and rapidly. Parties owing the city may expect to be dunned.

The question of drainage in the vicinity of the new Linkenhelt elevator evoked, after some consideration, a motion, which was carried, declaring it to be the sense of the council that the matter should be passed for the present. It seems that the railroad company has a ditch of its own at that point and that certain alterations and improvements are to be made in the track and the council feels that at that time a more advantageous permanent settlement can be had, one that will be satisfactory to all parties concerned.

The matter of the application of D. C. Smith for permission to erect hay scales in the street at his store was again postponed, but it was made very clear that such permission will not be granted and Mr. Smith's scales, must go on private property.

Harry S. Enyart, who came here as the representative of and superintendent for W. S. Hatch & Sons, the paving contractors, and watched the work of excavation on North Michigan street, that has been done by the city, astonished Street Commissioner Knoll the other day by demanding to be put on the city's pay roll. George refused to do so and so reported to the council. Upon inquiry it could not be learned that Mr. Enyart had any employment or authority whatever from any person claiming power to bind the city and the street commissioner was accordingly sustained.

The city clerk filed a report containing a list of property liable to city taxation that has been placed on the county duplicate by the auditor upon the county assessor's certificate. The omitted property thus supplied amounts to \$152,180.00, with six polls, and the tax to be paid thereon will, if all collected, add \$1,275.00 to the city funds.

OLD SETTLERS' MEETING

More Prizes.—South Bend Merchants Interested. Excursion Rates to LaPaz.

Many will be the prizes awarded at the Old Settlers' Meeting in Wilson's grove, LaPaz, Saturday August 31. A number of prizes will be awarded by prominent South Bend merchants:

1. Moses Livingston will give a prize to the man who lived the longest in Indiana.

2. Shidder Bros. will give a prize to the oldest lady cyclist.

3. George Muessell will give a prize to the lady having the oldest fancy work.

4. Charles Steele will give a prize to the oldest lady horse-back rider.

5. Leo Eliel will give a prize to the person over 50 years old having the best preserved set of teeth.

6. Alf. Klingel will give a prize to the Champion Liar on the grounds.

7. Madison Miller will give a prize to the man who comes in first with an ox-team.

It is likely that a few more prizes will be offered. The merchants of South Bend and Plymouth are very much interested in the Old Settlers' Meeting. Other towns are falling in line and will contribute their share in making August 31, 1901, a notable day in local history. The B. & O. E. R. Co. will sell tickets at reduced rates at Albion and Wellsboro and all intermediate points to LaPaz.

Tickets will also be sold at reduced rates over the Vandalia R. R. Press Com.

About School Books.

Many Indiana papers have recently published an article asserting that by the adoption of a new series of text-books for the public schools the people will be subjected to great expense, but the report is misleading and largely untrue. Some alterations have been made in the grammars and spelling books, but there will be no compulsion in buying them until those in use are worn out. Books in good condition will not be discarded and thrown away, but where new books are to be purchased the later edition will be brought.

There's nothing made that will cure all spring disorders as Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison Medicine Co. 35c. J. W. Hess.

LAYING THE BRICK.

Two Men Can Lay Blocks as Rapidly as Eight Men Can Carry Them.

Many persons have been interested in watching the pavers lay brick on North Michigan street, which work began in earnest Friday afternoon. At the present rate of progress the river will be reached in twelve or fourteen days. Two men put the blocks in place, laying three rows at a time as rapidly as eight men, each bearing eight bricks at a load, can keep them supplied. Another man keeps the lines straight and the surface level, while still another comes along behind and fills the vacant spaces along the curb with half bricks. The gravel foundation is rolled about a square ahead of the bricklayers and another gang keeps the sand cushion packed and leveled about forty feet ahead. It is a busy scene and a novel one in Plymouth, but by another year it will be an old story, for several streets will be under contract then if present indications count for anything.

O. N. T. RECEPTION

Midsummer Dance Given by Club of Young Ladies.

A midsummer dancing party was given at Hill's Thursday evening by the O. N. T. club in honor of Lulu and Palmer Helpman, who are shortly to move to Chicago. The affair was rather informal and no special effort was made in the way of dress or decoration but a most enjoyable evening was spent and mirth and jollity ran high. The music was somewhat of a novelty, consisting of a piano, played by Miss Edna Yockey, and a snare drum, operated by Frank Jancke. Ice cream and cake were served. The grand march was led by Russel Tanner and Edith Covert.

Those present were: Misses, Lulu Helpman, Pearl Dunnick, Ethel Yockey, Dolly Long, Bessie Vinall, Lola Everly, Bess Vink, Agnes Thompson, Jeanne McCrory, Lottie Suseland, Bessie Smith, Lora VanAnden, Bertha Hoover, Eva Turner, Edith Covert, Hazel Bondurant, Louie Jacoby and Mamie Taylor; Messrs. Palmer Helpman, Harry Lamson, Frank Leonard, Ralph Leonard, Frank Southworth, James Stevens, Harry Knott, Russel Tanner, Arthur Starr, Arthur Pomey, George Taylor, Clifford Burkett, Louis Mattingly, Daniel Senour, Homer Ringle, Loyd Hill, Charles Miller, Loyd Morris, Roy Corby and Howard Vanscoik.

Farmer's Picnic.

River Side Grange held a picnic in the grove by the Shoemaker Bridge Thursday, August, 15, 1901.

A large crowd was present to witness a very interesting and instructive program appropriate for the occasion. Excellent music and singing was rendered by the young people of that vicinity.

Mr. J. A. McFarlin with a few well chosen words gave a most hearty welcome to those present.

The invocation was given by Rev. Rough, after which Hon. C. P. Drummond delivered an address which was very instructive and highly appreciated. The crowd was then at liberty for a few hours which were spent in social talking and partaking of the elaborate dinner which the farmers' had prepared.

The afternoon exercises were opened with music. Mr. D. McDonald gave a talk of the early settlers which was very interesting both to the young and old. Hon. H. G. Thayer and Dickson Thompson continued the subject relating many very interesting events which occurred during the early settlement of this county. Mr. M. M. Lowery spoke on the subject of organization of the farmer. Jacob Martin then spoke of higher living and sociability among farmers. William O'Keefe gave a very interesting talk on the culture of cowpeas.

It was a fine day and every one seemed to enjoy himself.

The Star Boarder.

The twenty-fifth season at the Centennial opera house opened auspiciously Friday night in the presence of a full house, Charles H. Boyle's company in "The Star Boarder" being the attraction. Boyle himself would be "the whole show," and would be alone worth the price of admission, if the other fifteen accomplished artists would let him, but they are too clever for that. The baton twirling of Charles Swift and his pretty partner and the rapid-fire zylphone playing of the orchestra drummer were features of special note. This is the first week this company has been on the road and it will be smoothed into better shape in a few days. The next attraction is Denton's Nightingale Co., Aug. 27.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has a world wide reputation for its cures. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by J. W. Hess.

INTERURBAN LINE

Plymouth and Marshall County Included in Electric Railroad Plans Now Forming.

After much negotiation and numerous delays the promoters of the electric traction line between Indianapolis and Logansport have apparently succeeded in getting the enterprise on its feet and the prospect for an early construction of the road seems to be good. The surveyors are laying out the route as finally adopted and contracts for building and equipping the road are being let.

There is a design on foot that will later on be of great interest to the people of this county, particularly in the townships of Walnut, Center and North, and more especially in Argos, Plymouth and Lapaz. The purpose is to extend the line from Logansport to South Bend along or close to the Michigan road, taking in the places named.

Indianapolis is rapidly becoming the center of a network of such railways, as Cincinnati, Cleveland and Detroit are already. The chief center of activity has been in the gas belt, where numerous interurban companies have been formed, but there is also quite a spirit of development manifested north and east of us. Peru's new line has just been put in operation and Rochester has within a few days voted a subsidy to another, the majorities being very heavy. Another area of interest lies in Lake, Porter and Laporte counties and the papers from over there chronicle some new move in every issue.

The rich territory traversed by the Michigan road north and south of Plymouth cannot long remain exempt from electric lines and a connection between the east and west system on the north and the Indianapolis system on the south must eventually be made along that broad and beautiful highway, and that right soon. The state survey of Michigan road has already been examined by the gentlemen interested and parts of it north of Logansport have been driven over for the purpose of deciding as to its feasibility, the conclusion reached being favorable. Within a few days an electrical engineer will be in Plymouth to inspect the probable route through the city and get an idea of the obstructions to be met in crossing the river and railroad.

Later, but not this year, steps will be taken to secure the necessary franchises and right-of-way by the route that is decided upon as most practicable. A possibility that has already been mentioned in this connection is a spur from Argos to Maxinkuckee Lake.

The probability that inside of two years this city will have communication by electric railway with all parts of Indiana north of the capital is greater than has been thought to be true until now and the consummation will be highly gratifying.

INDIANA HARBOR PROGRESSING.

Teamsters Strike for \$4 Per Day-- Many Laborers Employed.

The Indiana Harbor managers are busy at work erecting buildings and selling lots. Three hundred men are working every day. There are laborers, carpenters and brick masons at work on the large mill building.

The three-story building presents a very nice appearance. The roof and last story are shingled with green shingles and the rest of the building painted white.

The brick office building for the steel plant is roofed and will soon be completed. It will be the most artistic office building in the Calumet region, resembling a fine modern residence in appearance. It is said another and still finer hotel will be erected on the lake front.

Weather Signals for Farmers.

Farmers who live along the lines of rural free delivery mail routes are to have the advantage of the United States weather bureau's forecasts of the weather. All they will have to do will be to watch the mail cart as it goes by. Arrangements are being made by the postoffice department and bureau to have the mail carts equipped with signals which will be displayed on the sides. They will be as conspicuous as possible, so they can be read at a considerable distance from the highways. Mail carriers will receive their weather predictions for the day before they start on their routes in the morning, and will put up their proper signals on both sides of their carts.

"I wish to truthfully state to you and the readers of these few lines that your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is without question, the best and only cure for dyspepsia that I have ever come in contact with and I have used many other preparations. John Beam, West Middlesex, Pa. No preparations equals Kodol Dyspepsia Cure as it contains all the natural digestants. It will digest all kinds of food and can't help but do you good. J. W. Hess.



THE BEST THEY KNOW.

YOU remember the old lady who rode for the first time on a railway train. There was a frightful collision, but when the rescuers reached her she was quite calm. She said she supposed they always stopped that way. The story well illustrates why so many women are satisfied to live without Ivory Soap. They have never tried it! Naturally enough, they think that annoying odors, sharp chemicals, and wasteful greasiness are common to all soaps.

Water-Works Plant Destroyed.

GLENWOOD, Wis., Aug. 17.—Fire broke out in the boiler-room of the water-works pumping station and electric light plant yesterday afternoon, and as a result the city was without light and fire protection. The fire spread rapidly, and, besides destroying the water-works plant, burned the stove mill of the Glenwood Manufacturing company, which adjoined it. The loss will be about \$50,000.

Henry L. Shattuck of Shellsburg, Iowa, was cured of a stomach trouble with which he had been afflicted for years, by four boxes of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He had previously tried many other remedies and a number of physicians without relief. For sale by J. W. Hess.

Peril of a Diplomat.

PARIS, Aug. 15.—The correspondent of Liberte telegraphs that while M. Constans, French ambassador to Turkey, was taking an excursion sail near the entrance of the Black Sea on a launch on Aug. 7 he narrowly escaped serious accident. When abreast of Cavack the engineer of the launch noticed that the water was flowing over the boiler. He promptly let the steam escape and ran the launch upon the beach. The correspondent adds that the wrecking of the launch is believed to have been intentional.

Housekeepers, Attention! Try a package of Russ Bleaching Blue and you will use no other. 10c. at grocers. 127114 381a

15 Days More of Our Grand Clearing Sale

To give those who have been unable to take advantage of Our Big Sale an opportunity Phenomenal Price Cutting will be continued. We need the room and prices on goods is a secondary consideration. Our Fall Goods are coming in and we are compelled to push all Light Weight Suits and Furnishing Goods out of the way.

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